LOCAL NEWS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES .- War Depart ment, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Washington, D. C., Jan'y. 9, 1877-10:30 a. m.— In the Middle States rising barometer, diminishing west to north winds, colder and generally clear weather, succeeded by falling barometer and winds shifting to southerly or easterly.

LADIES' UNION RELIEF .- The Union Relief of this city has been actively at work among the poor for five weeks, and, until now, has been able to meet all demands upon its resources, having had a liftle over one hundred dollars in the treasury from the moonlight excursion last August, besides subscriptions and donations sent in since the reorganization of the Society, and supplies for the pantry from the "pound party," held several weeks ago. This week's expenses, however, will exhaust both provisions and money, and we appeal to our citizens with | property was imminent. no abatement of confidence in their willingness to furnish us means to meet the pressing want and destitution of our poor. The unusual scverity of the winter will make our expenses heavier than heretofore; therefore, while still pledging ourselves to use our very best judgment and discrimination in cach applicant's case, we must beg the friends of the Relief to respond liberally to the appeals which we shall make with no greater frequency than is absointely necessary. Many of our citizens send us generously out of the abundance with which God has prospered them-but we are equally gratified for, and believe that as abundant a blessing rests upon the smaller donations of those who are in more moderate circumstances. Let us, each one, "count our mercies," and let our charities bear some adeq te proportion of gratitude for our own comfortable surroundings. Supplies of all kinds, money, food, or halfworn clothing, will be gratefully received, and carefully dispensed by the ladies. "Blessed is the man that considereth the poor; the Lord shall deliver him in time of trouble. By order of the Ladies' Union Relief.

An Imposerion .- There is much complaint among the citizens generally as to the distribution of the wood purchased by the Corporacion for the use of the poor. Nearly all of it has been obtained by idle negroes, who impose on the Overseers of the Poor with specious tales of poverty and suffering, while they re-Susa work when offered to them. Every day the police station is beseiged by a mob of these people, of all ages and conditions, clamoring for wood. Several of them, when talked to by the police, have impudently answered that the wood was bought by the "government" for their benefit, and that the policemen had nothing to do with it. The Overseers of the Poor are paid nothing for their services, and consequently cannot afford to neglect their private business and investigate each case; therefore they have to rely on the statements of the parties themselves. An instance of the trifling character of these negroes was furnished at the station house yesterday, when a gang of them who were waiting for wood were offered a load each provided they would go to work and assist in clearing the ice from the crossings and gutters, but which proposition was unanimously refused.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT-Judges H. L. Bond and R. W. Hughes presiding .- Atkins et als. and W. D. Burkhardt et als. vs. the Petersburg Railroad Co.; motion for appointment of remedy so effectual for the cure of this disease receiver; argued by Gen. Hundley, of Rich. mond, for Atkins & Bro.; Judge H. H. Marshall, of Richmond, for Burkhardt; William says "I have used the Regulator for eight months, and find it has cured meentirely of dystee; J. W. Friend, of Petersburg, for the Board pepsia. It is the best medicine I ever used the arrest and production of Orton before the of Trustees; Drury Hinton, for the city of Petersburg; and J. H. Carrington and W. N. Gordon, of Richmond, for the Company, and submitted to the Court.

J. J. Dillon et als. vs. J. S. Fowler, assignce: appeal from U. S. District Court; decision afarmed by Judge Bond.

No business was done in the District Court. Both Courts adjourned until to-morrow suorning at ten o'clock.

M. E. Churcu. - The interest in the special services continues to increase. Yesterday afternoon addresses were delivered by the Rev. A. J. Porter, P. E.; Peyton Morgan, of Laurel, and the pastor. At night the sermon was preached by the Rev. P. Morgan. He selected for his text John iii, 16, "For God so loved the world, &c." God's love, man's faith, everlasting life the result of the connection of these were the topics presented. The sermon was original and able, and reflected great credit upon the preacher. Rev. Mr. Porter followed in an earnest address. At the invitation of the pastor three persons went forward for prayers and several arose for the same purpose. At the enquiry meeting which was subsequently held many expressed a desire to lead a religious life. The Rev. Richard Norris, of Georgetown, will preach to-night.

THE SOUP HOUSE .- The Committee on the Poor of the City Council, after examining several locations, have determined to establish the soup house at the frame building on the southeast corner of King and Columbus streets. The furnaces are being built and the kettles placed in position, and it is expected that the establishment will be in operation by to morrow or next day. Mr. Geo. W. Clifford has been appointed by the committee to take charge of the soup house, and will be there atter to-day to receive any donations of meat, vegetables or money which the charitably disposed people of the city may make. It is confidently expected that the citizens will come forward as of yore to the assistance and support of the poor.

CORPORATION COURT-Judge E. M. Lowe presiding-Continuation of Yesterday's Proceedings.-Lee, Tweedy & Co. vs. H. B. Hoomes, suggestion vs. D. F. Brashear; jury, and verdict for defendant; motion for new trial. In re Beulah Baptist Church; ease adjourned until to-day.

To-day .- Miner vs. Lee; in chancery; decree directing commissioner of sale to lend funds. The usual allowances to jurors and officers of the court were made.

night, four members being present. Messrs. Johnson and Janney were appointed a committee to have the water closets in the Market Building altered in accordance with the permission granted by the City Council, On motion, the janitor was directed to close the Market Building at 10 o'clock each night,

except when occupied by the City Council, In order that this order might not interfere with Alexandria Washington Lodge of Masons they were authorized to procure a key to the Cameron street door, and were requested to

use that door. The meeting then adjourned.

SCPERVISORS. - A meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Alexandria county was held at the county court house, in this city, to day, all the members of the board being present.

The tollowing accounts were allowed and ordered to be paid : B. Wheatley, \$15; W. Green, business transacted. \$2.50; Thornton Hyatt, \$2.10; Harlow Bros., \$1.50; J. Tacey, \$19.25; G. H. Mortimore, \$17.77; Randolph Birch, \$5; Samuel Birch, \$31.50; James Marcey, \$5; N. S. Wright, 31.50; James Marcey, \$5; N. S. Wright, A cure for headache, neuralgis, &c. Also Ben5.80.

A special road faw for Alexandria county was vous Headaches, &c.

W. F. CREIGHTON.

read and approved.

THE STREET LAMPS .- Among the troubles complained of by the people during the bad weather, not the least, by any means, is the imperfect lighting of the streets. The Superintendent of Gas says that the trouble is caused by the pipes leading to the lamps having been frezen. He is using alcohol to thaw them out, but the process is a slow one, occupying three or four days, and in the meantime the people will have to possess their souls in patience.

THE WEATHER .-- The weather last night was much colder and the thermometer rapidly fell to the freezing point. To day the temperature has continued low and there has been very little thawing, except in particularly warm spots on the sunny sides of the streets. The sudden thaw of Saturday and Sunday has been just as suddenly checked, and perhaps fortunately, as justice. The opinion here is that, in the West the danger of a freshet and much damage to

OVERBOARD. - A tramp, who, after begging all he could eat and getting all the whiskey, he could drink, had wandered out to the end of the King street wharf, yesterday evening, ventured too far and broke through the ice into the river. He was rescued by the bystanders and carried to the station house.

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK.—The following gentlemen were elected to day to serve as di rectors of the Citizens' National Bank for the ensuing year: John B. Smoot, John B. Daingerfield, Benoni Wheat, Robert M. Lawson and P. B. Hooe.

Local Brevities.

The postoffice at El Dorado, Culpeper county, Va., on the route from Culpeper to Rock Mills, has been re established, with James L. Grove as postmaster. A new postoffice has been established at Galveston, Pittsylvania county, Va., on the route from Lynchburg to Danville, with A. H. Tardy as postmaster.

Mr. John H. Ball, who served with or under the late Charles Koones, cabinet maker, and whose guardian was the late Judge Thompson F. Mason, of this city, is now residing at Rockford, Winebago county, 111.

There are about 56 loaded boats frozen up on the canal and about 200 empty ones frozen up away from home. There are 516 boats on the canal. They made only an average of H trips each last season. The performance of Haverly's New Orleans

Minstrels, at Sarepta Hall, last night, was largely attended. The entertainment was very good, and all present seemed to enjoy themselves. The City Council holds its regular meeting

to-night.

Look out for cold weather and don't catch cold, but if you do, nothing will meet the requirements of your situation as well as Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Janney & Co's. Chilblain Liniment will be in great demand again this winter. It gives instant relief, works like a charm, and is equal in its way to Wells' Euroka for the teeth.

Over indulgence in eating and drinknig, whereby the Liver is disorganized and the system deranged. The suffering resulting from dyspepsia is very terrible, and the sooner the patient can get relief the better. There is no as Simmons' Liver Regulator.

D. B. Dobson, M. D., of Deer Park, Ala. months, and find it has cured meentirely of dys- House be authorized to issue a writ for for that disease, or rather, it is the only one that has proved satisfactory."

COMMEDCIAL

COMMERCIAL. Prices of Produce in Alexandria.			
Superfine	5 50	(a)	5 75
Extra	6 25	(4)	6 75
Family	7 25	(0)	7 75
Fancy brands	8 00	(a)	8 25
WHEAT, common to fair	1 00	(a)	1 25
Good to prime	1 25	a	1 40
Good to prince	1 45	(0)	1 52
Choice	9 54	(4)	0 56
OORN, white	0 54		0 56
Mixed		(4)	0 56
Yollow	0 54	@	
RYE	0 65	(1)	0 79
OATS	0/35	(4)	0 40
TURKEYS	0 11	(4)	0 13
BUTTER, prime	0.23	(0)	0 25
Common to middling	0 10	(4)	0 15
BGGS	11 00	(4)	0 35
RISH POTATOES	1 25	(a)	1 50
INIONS	0 75	(4)	1 00
ONIONS DRIED CHERRIES, P. 16	0 12	(u)	0.15
DRIED APPLES	0 43	(4)	0 6
GREEN APPLES, & bbl	2 00	(w	2 50
VEAL CALVES	0 4	(14)	0 0
DRESSED HOGS	3 00	(w	5 50
	0 12	(in)	0 13
BACON, Hams, country	0 15	(4)	0 16
Bost sugar cured Hams	(25) L (25) C	W. 185.	0 14
Butchers' Hams		(14	151110532571
Western	0 14	(4)	0 154
Bides	0 114	(w	0.12
Shoulders	0 5	(cu	0 9
LARD	0 13	(4)	0 14
LARDCLOVER SEED	C 00	@	8 00
Timothy	2 25	(4)	2 50
PLASTER, ground, per ton.	Ü 00	(u)	0 00
Ground, in bags or bbls	7 00	(4)	0 00
Ground, in bags, ret'd	6 00	(0)	0 00
Lump	3 25	(4	3 50
SALT, G. A. (Liverpool)	1 10	(4	1 20
Fine	1 75	(0)	1 90
Turk's Island	0 30	(4)	0 40
WOOL, long unwashed,	0 26	(0)	0 28
	0 34	(4)	0 36
Washed	0 22	(0)	0 23
Merino, unwashed	0 80	(3)	0 32
Do. washed	1 25	(0)	1 60
SUMAC			15 00
HAY	13 00	(cy	10 00

Receipts of Wheat are light and the quality poor; the only sale noted to-day was at 145. Corn is advancing, and 900 bushels sold at 55a 57; extra lots would bring 58. No Kye or Oats reported. Small lots of Corn Meal and Buckwheat sold for 55 and 100 per bushel respectively. Country produce is in fair demand at good

[By Telegraph.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Stocks dull and lower. Money 6 and 7. Gold 105f. Governments ac-tive, unsettled and lower. Plour quiet and stoady. Wheat quiet and firm. Corn quiet and unchanged.

The court were made.

The court has been engaged during most of the day in the trial of the petition for a removal of one of the trustees of Beulah Baptist Church, The petition was denied.

Sinking Fund.—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund met at the Auditor's office, last night, four members being present.

and unchanged.

BALTIMORE, Jan'y. 9.—Virginia 6s, deferred, 62; Virginias, consolidated, 663; do. 2d series 35½.

Cotton firm; middling 13. Flour scarce and firm, with an upward tendency. Wheat firm and quiet; business restricted by limited supplies; No. 2 Western winter red 143; No. 2 Chicago Spring 135a138; Penna. red 15Ja168; Maryland red prime 160; do. amber 162; do. white 150a160. Corn—Southern scarce and firm; Western fairly active and firm; new Southern Western fairly active and firm; new Southern white 55a53; do. yellow 58at0; Western mixed old spot 581; new spot and Jan 58; February 59; March 597a69. Oats steady; Southern prime 40 a41; Western white 37a384; do. mixed 33a36. Rye steady and firm at 14 50a\$15. Hay dull, steady and unchanged. Sugar active and firm 4114. Codes strong. Big cargoes 17a224; job. at 11s. Collee strong; Rio cargoes 17a221; job. bing 191a231.

> meeting of the Sun Fire Company will be held on Wednesday evening, January 10th, at eight o'clock. A full attendance is requested, as there will be an election of officers to serve for the ensuing year.

GRO. B. DEETON, Sect'y. Notice.-The seventh annual meeting

of the Columbia Steam Fire Engine Co. will be held on Wednesday, January 10, at 7½ o'clock p. m. An election of officers to serve for the ensuing year will be held and other important NEURALGIA! NEURALGIAI Just received another supply of MILLER'S NEURALGIA PILLS.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

Special Dispatches to the Gazette.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, January 9, 1877 .- The chief topic of conversation to day has, of course, been the expression of sentiment on the part of the people, through their representatives, assem bled in conventions in several of the States, as to the course to be pursued in reference to the Presidential controversy.

The voice of the people is unmistakable and it must be heeded, or they may compel a compliance with their just demand for fairness and particularly, the people are in advance of the politicians and mean business.

Gen. Joseph E. Johnston was on the floor of the House to day, and was cordially received

by a great many of the members and others. There is much excitement on the floor of the House and in other parts of the city consequent upon the reports in circulation of a disturbance in New Orleans, but the reports are not credited by the best informed.

The assembling here on the 14th of February of one hundred thousand men from the West, it is thought, will have a most potential effect upon the proper counting of the electoral vote

It is considered, to-day, not at all improbable, that the Florida Investigating Committee will make a unanimous report, which will go far towards gettling the Presidential contest. There is but one of the radicals holding out, and, it is said, that the facts of fraud are so glacing that he will "give in," and that the report will give the electoral vote to Tilden, thus making his election sure and without further trouble.

Congress.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 .- In the Senate, today, the morning hour was occupied in the consideration of the resolution of Mr. Morton direction the Sergeant at-Arms to take into custody Enos Runnion, a New York banker, who is a recusant witness before that committee in relation to certain drafts which passed between Oregon and New York city. The resolution was agreed to.

The Senate then took up the Louisiana election resolutions, and Mr. Sherman spoke at ength in defence of the action of the Louisiana returning board.

In the House of Representatives Mr. Goode stroduced a bill for the relief of the heirs of Wm. Ward, of Norfolk, Va.

Gen. Hunton introduced a bill for the relief of the heirs of the late Richard Windsor-to reimburse them for property bought at confiscation sale and subsequently recovered at law by Mr. McVeigh, of Alexandria.

A note was read from Mr. Morrison, enclosing a long communication from Mr. Orton, attempting to vindicate his action in reference to the New Orleans telegrams, and asseverating that he had no control over the said dispatches.

Gen. Hunton moved that the Speaker of the House to answer for a contempt in refusing to obey a subreepa issued by Mr. Morrison at New Orleans for the production of certain telegrams.

After some caviling on the part of Messry, Garfield and Kasson which was promptly met by Gen. Hunton the resolution was adopted by a vote of ayes 158 to noes 33.

The Chair also laid before the House another note from Mr. Morrison enclosing a communication from the Louisiana returning board in reference to their refusal to answer to subprepas issued by Mr. Morrison in New Orleans for their appearance before the Congressional Committee and to produce the original returns of the late election.

On motion of Gen. Hunton, the communication was referred to the Judiciary Committee. A communication from the President enclosing a letter from the Secretary of State in reference to the Venezuelian affair was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

DUBLICSALE

By virtue of an order of the Corporation Court in the case of Smyth vs. Shinn, I will sell by public suction, on SATURDAY, January 20, 1877, at 11 o'clock a.m., at the store next door to Adams Express Company, the following ac-About 600 Grain Sacks.

20 bbls Damaged Flour. 8 Old Cheeses.

A lot of Lumber, &c. R. T. LUCAS, Sergeant Alexandria city. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, Boschee's German Syrup, Green's August Flower, Stafford's Olive Tar and For-rest's Juniper Tar, received this day at W. F. CREIGHTON'S,

85 King street. TAMPHOR ICE WITH GLYCERINE, a pleasant and effectual remedy for chapped

hands and lips, and removes sunburn, tan, &c., just received and for sale by WARFIELD & HALL, Jec 18 Corner Prince and Fairfax streets. OUR FOURTH SUPPLY-Anderson's Unrivalied Minco Meat, New Prunes, New

Currents, Raisins, Citron and Figs and assorted Nuts of best quality, received this day and for sale by F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st. PRESH TEAS-Japan, Oolong, English Breakfast and Gunpowder Teas of best and medium grades, all of the new crop, received

and for sale at lower prices than the same qualities can be purchased elsewhere by dec 28 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st. HATCHETS, SAWS, PLANES and other TOOLS, just received and for sale at re-

duced prices at 88 King st., corner of Royal st., Alexandria, Va. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

CHAMPAGNE DRY VERZENAY, G. H. Mamm & Co., Reims, pint and quart bottles, for sale by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON,

Fine Greers, 166 & 170 King st. GENUINE ENGLISH PLUMB PUDup in one and two pound cans; saves time and trouble.

GEO. McBURNEY & SON. TURTLE OIL, Ost Meal, Palm and Glyce-I rine, Toilet Soaps, all of them good for the hands in cold weather, for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY.

A NOTHER INVOICE OF RAISINS, Currents, Citron and other Christmas goods just received by J. C. & E. MILBURN dec 22 NEW ORLEANS and other grades of SUGARS received this day and for sale at

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bottom prices by
R. W. AVERY, 226 King st. D. LOATERS-A full supply of these deli-cious Smoked Fish received and for sale by jan 2 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

MACHINE CHIPPED BEEF-A new lot just received by jan 5 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

NEW ORLEANS, Demerara and Porto Rico Molasses and Golden Syrup for sale low by dec 29 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR RENT-The centrally located three story BRICE Div ELLING, on Duke st., one door west from Frintax a rest. Apply to Dr. F. J. MURPHY.

FOR SALE OR RENT-That PLEAS-ANT RESIDENCE. HOUSE No. 40 s Washington street, will be sold on very assisterms, or rented. Possession given December 1st nest. An arrangement can be made to give possession at any time after Nov'r. 10th Link Apply to Mossrs Green & Wise, Alexandria oct 18-tf

CITY HOTEL FOR RENT. This property is situated at the S. W. of Royal and Cameron streets, in Alexandria Va., fronting the City Hall and Market build ings. Possession given on the first day of January next. Apply to WM. II. IRWIN, No. 182 Prince st., Alexandris, Va. oct 4-ti

NO. 42 S. WASHINGTON ST. FOR RENT. Possession given October 1st, 1876. Apply to GEO. UHLER sep 15-tr

COPARTNERSHIPS.

NOTICE OF COPARTNERSHIP.

Mr. FRANK S. HARPER has this day pur-chased a half interest in my business, which will be conducted hereafter under the firm name of A. J. FLEMING & CO. I thank my customers and the public generally for their past patronage, and solicit a continuance of the same to the new firm. All persons indebted to the old firm are requested to call and settle. A. J. FLEMING.

HAVING THIS DAY ASSOCIATED with me my brother,
J. THOMAS LINDSEY,

in the GROCERY and SHIP CHANDLERY TRADE, the name of the concorn will be con-ducted as heretofore, under the firm and style of N. LINDSEY & CO. NOBLE LINDSEY.

BUILDING MATERIAL. JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Hardware, Cutlery, Horse Shoes

Iron, Plough Castings, Nail Rods, Axia Greaso, Wagon Materials, House-keepers' Goods, &c., &c. NO. 88 KING STREET, CORNER ROYAL Alexandria, Virginia,

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B. F. PEAKE & CO., (Successors to Jas. W, Nalls, Son & Co.) DUALERS IN

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LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE IN
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No. 19 N. Royal st., cor. Market Space,
Alexandria, Virginia.
Orders and consignments solicited. They will
receive careful and prompt attention.

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[Successors to R. M. Lawson,] GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS. No. 67 Cameron street, ALEXANDRIA, VA. THOMAS PERRY,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT AND AGENT FOR
THE SALE OF FERTILIZERS,
No. 17 King street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA. ung 16-tf

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NO. 20 UNION STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Consignments of Grain, Morchandise and all kinds, of Country Produce solicited. Special attention given to all business entrusted to them.

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(Foot Sincesset.) Alexandria, Virginia. fob 21-t!

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and PRODUCE.

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XXX Ale and Porter always on hand.

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(Above Lee street,) ALEXANDRIA, VA

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Writing and Wrapping Paper, Envelopes, Inks, Mucilage, Slates and Slate Pencils, Lead Pencils, Rubber Bands and Eras ing Rubber, in short Stationery generally, and Sheet Music.

Also Paper Bags, Flour Sacks, Shipping Tage, January 1, 1877.

N. B.—"Rather far down town," some say; but still I am six miles this side of Washington city. "Nuf ced."

FALL STYLES, 1876. JULIAN F. YOUNG,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in all the Newand "Nobby" styles of Fine, Solt, Semi and Stiff Fur and Wool HATS & CAPS

AND Ladies' and Gents' Fur Goods. NO. 80 KING STREET.

ALEXANDRIA, VA. A LEXANDRIA STRING AND BRASS BAND Will furnish good Music for Balls, Parties, &c., at very moderato rates.
M. ULLMAN, Manager.

P. S.—Louis Marcs having been expelled from the Alexandria String Band, all orders for Music should be left with N. B. Medley, Gunsmith, King street. M. U., Manager. MORE BLACK 64 BEAVER FOR CLOAKS, at \$2.50. We have sold a

number of pieces of this. It is very desirable DON'T FORGET THAT SUGARS ARE goods for the money.

Jan 2 F J DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

NEW ORLEANS, Demerara and Por

AUCTION SALES.

By Green & Wise, Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, 1 D executed by T. L. Sanborn and Julia W. anborn, his wife, to secure the payment of a certain note described in said doed, which deed is dated May 7, 1872, and of record in the land records of Alexandria county, in liber A, No. 4, tolio 508, the undersigned, trustee, will sell by public auction, in front of the Mansion House, on Pairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on SAT-II KDAY, the 20th day of December, 1876, at 12 o'clock m., that TRACT OF LAND in Alexadria county, Va., known as "WARWICK," and referred to in said deed, containing 97 acres, I rood and 33 poles, subject to the reservation to the A., I. & H. K. R. Co., named in the said

Terms of Sale-Cash as to so much as shall be necessary to pay the cost of sale and the amount of the said note, (\$4,000) with the interest accrued thereupon, and for any remainder upon such terms as shall be stated at the time of sale. Expenses of conveyancing to be borne by the purchaser.

G. H. RAMEY, Trustee. dec 1-ts 22-The above sale is postponed until JAN-UARY 16, 1876, at the same time and place.

By F. A. Kerby, Auct'r. COMMISSIONER'S SALE-Under author-ity of the decree of the Corporation Court of Alexandria in the suit of Simmons, Briscoe & Hill vs. Ulam W. Barker, passed at the January term, 1876, the subscriber will sell, on the THIRTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1376, at 12 m., in front of the Postoflice, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the following described

property in said city:
1. Thetwo story Brick DWELLING HOUSE on the north side of Queen streat, between Royal and Fairfax street, owned by said Ulam W. Barker, fronting about 20 feet, more or less, on Queen street, and extending back 100 feet to a

12 feet alley.
2 THREE FRAME TENEMENTS AND LOT OF GROUND on the east side of Henry street, between Cameron and King, beginning 218 feet 8 in. north of King street, and running thence north on Henry 41 feet 8 in. to a 10 feet alley, and extending back 118 feet 5 in. to the line of another alley, with right of way over

said alleys. 4. ONE HALF INTEREST IN A LOT on the north side of Princess street, beginning at a point 75 feet east of Water street, fronting 25 ft. on Princess, with a depth of Street.
Torms—A bout 5 per cent cash; the residue in

three equal annual instalments, with interest; bonds to be given therefor, with good personal security, and title to be retained till payment.
S. FERGUSON BEACH,

oct 23-ects Commissioner. 227 The above sale has been postponed until the THIRTEENTH OF DECEMBER, 1876. nov 15-eots S. F. BEACH. Comm'r. The above sale has been further post poned until MONDAY, the 15th day of Jan'y., 877, at the same time and place. S. F. BEACH, Comm'r. dec 13-eots

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE
By virtue of a deed of trust from James R. Smoot and Anna G., his wife, dated the 11th day of May, 1870, and of record in Culpeper county, Va., the undersigned, trustee therein named, and at the request of the creditor by said deed secured, will sell by public auction, in front of the Court House at Culpeper C. H., Va., on WEDNESDAY, January 10th, 1877, at 12 o'clock m., the property conveyed to him by the said deed of trust, namely: A TRACT OF LAND, with the IMPROVEMENTS thereon, situated in the county of Culpeper. Va., near Mitchell's station, containing two hundred and twenty-seven and a half acres, more or less. This is a very desirable farm, is productive, and is located in one of the health-

iest portions of Virginia, Terms of Sale—\$830,93, with interest thereon from April 19th, 1876, and the costs attending the execution of the trust, cash; the residue in three equal instalments, payable in six, twelve and eighteen months; the purchaser to execute bonds, with approved security, for the deferred payments, and the title to be retained until the purchase money is paid in full.

W. C. PETTY, Trustee,

P. O. Mitchell's station, Va.

By Green & Wise, Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]
Y VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST
executed by Thomas L. Sanborn and Julia W. Sanborn, his wife, to secure the payment of the purchase money for the land described in said deed, dated June 10, 1869, and of record in the Clerk's office of Alexandria city, in liber Z, No. 3, page 537, the undersigned, trustees, will sell by public auction, in front of the Mansion House, on Fairfax street, A.exandria, Va., on SATURDAY, the 30th day of December, 1876, at 12 o'clock m., that portion of the tract of land, in Alexandria county, Va., known as "WAR-WICK," and reterred to in said deed as lying on the perthesest side of the Washington and on the northeast side of the Washington and Ohio Railroad, between said railroad and the Washington and Alexandria turnpike and Georgetown road, containing about 37 acres; and should that portion of the tract self for an amount not sufficient to pay the sum of \$2,218.12, with six per cent interest thereon from June 10, 1874, together with all the expenses of executing this trust, then, by the terms of said deed, the trustees will sell, at the same time and place, and upon the same terms, the other portion of said tract, lying on the southwest side of the W. & O. R. R., containing about 53 acres, and upon which the family mansion is situated. Terms of Sale-One fourth of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale; the residue in three equal annual instalments, the deferred payments to bear interest, payable half yearly, from the day of sale, and to be secured upon the

property sold. Expenses of conveyancing to be borne by the purchaser.
REUBEN JOHNSTON. Trustees.
W. C. YEATON. nov 27-eots

The above sale has been postponed till TUESDAY, January 16, 1877.

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The ANNUAL ELECTION for Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House on

TUESDAY, the 16th day of January, 1877, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock.

dec 14-w4w CHAS. R HOOFF, Cashier. FANCY DUSTERS for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY. dec 30 Corner King and St. Asaph st. 75 BBLS FAMILY and EXTRA FLOUR in store and for sale by dec 30 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st. AUCTION SALES.

YALUABLE LANDED ESTATES FOR SALE-By virtue of a dead of trust executed to the undersigned on the 15th day of April, 1870, to secure a debt to W. S. Gurnee, of New York city, the following large, produc-tive and very valuable estates will be offered for sale on the premises, respectively, at the times and on the terms hereinaiter named, to wit: On FRIDAY, the 5th day of January, 1877, the MOSS NECK ESTATE, containing nearly

00 acres, on the Rappahannock river, below Fredericksburg, in Caroline county.
On TUESDAY, the 9th of January, 1877, the
LEEUS MANOR ESTATE, containing 3900 acres. lying near Markham station, on the Man-

asses Gap Railroad, in Fauquier county, and
On THURSDAY, the 11th of January, 1877,
the TRACT OF LAND, within four miles of
Staunton, containing about 450 acres, and now held and possessed by Col. A. W. Harman, and being one of the most valuable estates in Au-

gusta county. The improvements on each of these properties are good. Possession given in time for Spring crops; the exact time will be announced at the ales. All growing crops will be reserved. The sales will be for eash, as required by the

trust deed. The titles are believed to be good, but only such will be conveyed as are vested in the undersigned. HUGH W. SHEFFEY. Trustees.

EDMUND COFFIN, Jr., nov S-wts 23 POSTPONEMENT-By consent of the parties interested the above sales will be postponed as follows, viz: Of Moss Neck till TUES-DAY, the 6th of February, 18.7; of Leeds Manor till THURSDAY, the 8th day of February.

1877, and the Harman Farm, near Staunton, till SATURDAY, the 10th day of February, 1877.
HUGH W. SHEFFEY,
EDMUND COFFIN, Jr., Trustees. ian 4--wts

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer.

RUSTEE'S SALE-By virtue of a deed of A trust executed by William H. Robertson and wife, dated the 22nd day of October, 1872, and of record in the Cierk's office of Alexandria county, Va., the undersigned, Trustee therein named, and at the request of the creditor by said deed secured, will expose for sale, by public auction, in front of the Market building, on Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., on SATURDAY, the 20th day of January, 1877. at 12 m., the property conveyed by said deed of trust, viz: A TRACT OF LAND, situated in Alexandria county, Va., described as follows: Beginning at a large marked gum, a little east of Horatio Ball's enclosure, in the line of -Waters, as run from the river by Lewis Carberry, Surveyor, in the year 1840, and running thence south 4 degrees, west 5 poles to B, an oak bush; thence south 85! degrees, west 67 poles to

C, passing on the south side of Horatio Ball's

house to the supposed line of Bricken with said

line 181 degrees, west 58 poles to D, south 201 degrees, east 29 poles to E, the centre of the

road to Georgetown ferry ; thence up the centre

thereof north 61 degrees, east 38 poles, north 582

degrees, east 35 poles, north 40 degrees, east 44

poles, north 394 degrees, east 18 poles, north 35

degrees east 13 poles to a white oak on the north

side of the road; thence south S5 degrees, west 39 poles to the beginning, together with the improvements thereon. Terms of Sale-\$1,029.36, with interest thereon from April 22d, 1875, and the costs attending the execution of this trust, cash; the residue in two equal instalments, payable in six and twelve months, with interest; the purchaser to execute bonds, with approved security for the deferred payments, and the title to be retained until the

purchase money is paid in full CHARLES F. PECK, Trustee, dec 23-ts Washington, D. C. By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer.

TALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN ALEX-ANDRIA COUNTY, VA., FOR SALE. Under authority of the decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county in the consolidated chancery cause of The Domestic Sewing Machine Company against Robert and Eliza Parker and others, and Given and Morsell, trustees, against Welsh and others, passed at the November term, 1876, the undersigned, as commissioners therein named, will offer, on MONDAY, January the 22d, 1877, at 12 o'clock m., by pub-lic auction, at the front door of the Court House of said county, on Columbus street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the following described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to comply with the terms of said decree, lying in the county of Alexandria and State of Virginia, to wit: Commencing for the same ata stone at the southwest corner of lot numbered thirteen (13) of the survey of Lewis Carberry of the Mason estate; thence north 87 degrees east, 41 poles and 20 links to a stone; thence north 3 degrees west, 19 poles, 15 links to a stone on the south side of the turnpike road running from Georgetown, D. C., to Falls Church, Virginia; thence with said turnpike west 18 poles and 21 links to a stone; thence with said pike south 72 degrees west 24 poles to a stone in the intersection of the west line of said lot; thence with said line south 3 degrees east and 15 poles to the place of beginning-supposed to contain five (5)

acres, be the same more or less. The property is improved by a modern DWELLING. Terms of Sale—Ten per centum of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in three equal instalments, payable respectively at six, twelve and eighteen months after date, with in-terest from the day of sale; to be evidenced by the bonds of the purchaser, with good personal chaser. Conveyancing at the cost of the pur-FRANCIS L. SMITH, Jr., M. D. BALL,

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